GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

CA,F&CS DEPARTMENT – AP STATE FOOD COMMISSION –Appointment of Members to State Food Commission – Salary, Pay and Allowances payable and terms and conditions of service as Member, State Food Commission – Orders – Issued.

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CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (CS.I(1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No:2 Dated:04-01-2023

Read the following :

1. G.O.Ms.No: 6, CA, F&CS (CS-I), Dept, Dtd:12.04.2017
2. G.O.Ms.No: 8, CA, F&CS (CS-I), Dept, Dtd:18.04.2017
3. G.O.Ms.No: 24, CA, F&CS (CS-I), Dept, Dtd:18.12.2017
4. G.O.Ms.No: 25, CA, F&CS (CS-I), Dept, Dtd:07.10.2022.
5. Letter of APSFC, Lr. No:SFC/Admin/239/2022, Dtd:12.10.2022.
6. Letter from Member Secretary, A.P. State Food Commission, Vijayawada, Lr. No:SFC/Admin/239/2022, Dtd:17.10.2022 .

ORDER :

In the reference 1st read above orders have been issued constituting State Food Commission for monitoring and review of implementation of the National Food Security Act, 2013 in the State.

2. In the reference 4th read above orders were issued appointing the following members as Members to Andhra Pradesh State Food Commission.

1) Sri Bakkamunthal a Kantha Rao ( Assumed Charge on 10-10-2022)
2) Sri Lakshmi Reddy Endela ( Assumed Charge on 11-10-2022)
3) Sri Jakkampudi Krishna Kiran ( Assumed Charge on 10-10-2022)

3. In the references 5th and 6th read above, the Member Secretary, A.P. State Food Commission, has requested to issue appropriate orders prescribing the pay and allowances and other terms and conditions for the above mentioned members of A.P. State Food Commission.

4. In the reference 3rd read above ordered that, the Pay and Allowances payable to and other terms & conditions of service of the Member, A.P.State food commission are the same as that of the State Information Commissioner of Andhra Pradesh State Information Commission as indicated in the reference first read above.

5. After careful examination of the matter , Government hereby issued orders on the pay and allowances payable to and other terms & conditions

of service of the Member are the same as that of the State Information Commissioner of Andhra Pradesh as follows;

A Member, at the time of his/her appointment is, in receipt of a pension, other than a disability or wound pension, in respect of any previous service under the Government of India or under the Government of a State, his/her salary in respect of the service as the Member shall be reduced by the amount of that pension including any portion of pension which was commuted and pension equivalent of other forms of retirement benefits excluding pension equivalent of retirement gratuity;

6. Therefore, the terms and conditions of service of the Members of the State Food Commission are ordered as mentioned below:

**Term:** Term of the Members of the State Food Commission shall be 5 years on which he/she enters upon office and shall be eligible for reappointment. However, no person shall hold office as the Member after he / she has attained the age of sixty five years.

**Status :** The Status of the Members of the State Food Commission shall be as that of State Information Commissioners.

**Pay :** Members of the A.P. State Food Commission shall receive a sum of Rs.2,25,000/- (fixed) 7 th pay commission recommended).

**Pension:** other than a disability or wound pension, in respect of any previous service under the Government of India or under the Government of a State, his/her salary in respect of the service as the Chairperson or Member shall be reduced by the amount of that pension including any portion of pension which was commuted and pension equivalent of other forms of retirement benefits excluding pension equivalent of retirement gratuity;

**Leave :** The Members of the AP State Food Commission shall be eligible for leave on par with the State Information Commissioner, APIC.

**Accommodation:** The Members of the AP State Food Commission shall be eligible for accommodation on par with State Information Commissioner/ Chief Secretary to Government. Where government accommodation is not provided or not availed, he / she shall be paid House Rent Allowance as per the rate applicable in respect of Vijayawada city, in lieu of rent free accommodation.

**Traveling Allowance / Daily Allowance :** For the official journeys performed within the State or out side the State, the State Information Commissioner shall be paid Travelling allowance by road/rail/air and daily

allowance as permissible to the State Information Commissioner. The same courtesies as extended to the Information Commissioner, APIC shall be extended to the Members of A.P.State Food Commission.

**Leave Travel Concession :** The Member of the AP State Food Commission are eligible for LTC i.e., All India and Home Town, as eligible to the AIS officers of the rank of Chief Secretary to the State Government.

**Conveyance facilities :** The Members of the AP State Food Commission are eligible for Government vehicle on par with the State Information Commissioner. Where no official vehicle is provided, he shall be paid a fixed amount per month as conveyance allowance as per the Government orders from time to time.

**Telephones :** They shall be provided with telephone one at office and another at their residence and a cell phone with a National Roaming facility (Rs.5,000/- package). In case he / she has personal residential telephone / cell phone, he / she is permitted to use the same for official purpose, i.e., for purpose of settling the bills as per eligibility.

**Medical Facilities :** The Member of the AP State Food Commission and their dependent family members shall be governed by All India Medical Attendant Rules 1985 and instructions issued thereon from time to time.

**Administration and other residuary matters :** Other administrative matters relating to terms and conditions of the service of the Members of the AP State Food Commission with respect to which no express provision has been made shall be as applicable to the State Information Commissioner , AP Information Commission.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Principal Secretary to Government (HR) Finance. U.O.No.1932880/ HR.II/ FIN01-HR0PDPP(RRD)/ 209/2022. Dated, 25-12-2022.

(BYORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

H.ARUN KUMAR
EX.OFFICIO SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Member secretary to Government, AP State food Commission, A.P. Vijayawada.
Sri Bakkamunthala Kantha Rao, Member, State Food Commission, A.P. Vijayawada
Sri Lakshmi Reddy Endela, Member, State Food Commission, A.P. Vijayawada
Sri Jakkampudi Krishna Kiran, Member, State Food Commission, A.P.

Vijayawada
The Pay and Accounts Officer, A.P. Vijayawada.
The Deputy Pay and Accounts Officer, A.P.Secretariat Branch, Velgapudi.
Copy to :
The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The Finance (AHDDF,CS) Department.

The Commissioner, Printing and Stationery, A.P., Vijayawada with a request to publish the G.O. in AP gazette.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER